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Response to Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated January 14, 2005

This is a corrected reply to the Office Action mailed July 23, 2004 as deemed necessary by the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated January 14, 2005. Please enter the following amendments and remarks into the record.

Official Copy of the Claims

The Examiner noted that the response filed 16 June 2004 contains a marked up copy of the claims as required by 37 CFR 1.121 and in addition contains and unnecessary unmarked copy of the claims that will not be considered to be the official copy of the claims. A copy of the claims as amended is included in this response.

Priority

The Examiner has noted that the applicant has not complied with one or more conditions for receiving the benefit of an earlier filing date under 35 U.S.C. 119(e).